of excellence, promote Centres of Excellence in Universities around gifted scientists and engineers, grant autonomy to Science & Engineering Colleges with a proven track record, etc. The reports are under evaluation. These recommendations have also been taken into consideration by the Working Group for 8th plan on Higher Education appointed by the Planning Commission.

Reduction of seats for Tamil medium students in Central Hindi Directorate

1984. SHRI N. RAJANGAM : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the number of admissions to Tamil medium Certificate and Diploma courses in the Central Hindi Directorate have been brought down to 3000 and 1000 respectively, from the next session, if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(b) whether it is a fact that recently 26 posts were sanctioned for Correspondence courses in the Directorate, out of which not a single post was given to Tamil section, if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) whether it is a fact that persons who are not qualified in Tamil have been promoted as Assistant Education Officers in Tamil Section where all the teaching material is produced in Tamil language only; if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L.P. SHAHI) : (a) The number of admissions to correspondence courses in different media in Central Hindi Directorate is determined on the basis of intake capacity and availability of resources.

(b) Out of the 26 additional posts sanctioned for correspondence courses unit of Central Hindi Directorate, 13 have since been earmarked for Tamil medium courses.

(c) Only one officer not proficient in Tamil language but otherwise eligible has been appointed as Assistant Education Officer on ad-hoc basis with the prior concurrence of Department of Personnel and Training keeping in view the exigencies of work pending regular arrangements. However, one Tamil knowing Assistant Director has also been posted in Tamil Unit by internal arrangement for production of teaching material.

Employees on ad-hoc/regular posts in Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan

1985. DR. G. VIJAYA MOHAN REDDY : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of Category-wise posts sanctioned on 1-4-1989 in each of the 15 Regional Offices of Kendriya Vidayalya Sangathan ;

(b) what is the number of employees as on 1-4-1989 which are working as ad-hoc/regular incumbent ;

(c) whether any person is allowed to continue on ad-hoc basis beyond six months;

(d) if so, what are the reasons for not regularising their services; and

(e) whether ad-hoc appointments are also made in Groups A & B ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI) : (a) and (b) A state-

ment giving the details regarding posts sanction for the Regional Offices, the employees in position as on 1-4-89 is annexed. [*See* Appendix Annexure CL No. 99.]

(c) to (e) Ad-hoc appointment for certain posts at Regional Offices have been made on account of non-availability of persons through regular channels which is generally a time consuming process. Other reasons are:

(i) Posts being sanctioned for short term on ad-hoc basis

(ii) Non-availability of deputationists

(iii) Exigencies of work.

Composition of the Management of the Blue Bells Educational Society

1986. SHRI DEBA PRASAD RAY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what is the composition of the Managements of the Blue Bells Educational Society which manages the Blue Bells School in East of Kailash, Modern School and Delhi Public School, New Delhi, indicating their names and addresses;

(b) the date on which the election of the present Management Society of the Blue Bells was held; and

(c) the period upto which the present Management can function in terms of Memorandum of Articles of the said Society ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) The Blue Bells Educational Society has set up the Blue Bells School in East of Kailash and not Modern School and Delhi Public School, New Delhi. List showing the composition of the Managing Committee set up by the Blue Bells Educational Society for running the Blue Bells School, East of Kailash is annexed. (*See below*)

(b) The present Managing Committee of the School was constituted on 29th July, 1988.

(c) A member of the Management Committee is appointed for 2 years, but he can continue to hold office until a new member is appointed.

Statement

Composition of Managing Committee of Blue Bells School, East of Kailash

1.	Dr. (Miss) S. M. Luthra . .	Ex-Principal, Lady Shri Ram College, B-153, G.K.I.	Chairperson
2.	Mrs. G. Soni	Principal	Manager
3.	Dr. (Lt.Gen.) Jagmohan Grover .	Retired Lt.Gen. from Army, D-406, Defence Colony, N. Delhi.	Member
4.	Miss Usha Bhagar . . .	Ex-Social Secy. to the P.M., 32, Nizamuddin East, New Delhi.	Member
5.	Prof. Mohinder Singh . .	Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi.	Member
6.	Dr. Amrik Singh . . .	Vice-Chancellor, Punjabi University (Retd.)	Member